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1. 7 October 1949

The Brueckenkopf Kaserne in WITTENBERG (N 52/E 37) was occupied by about five hundred Soviet Air Force soldiers.

The airfield was not occupied.

2. The air force headquarters was still quartered in houses on Thaelmannstrasse.

3. 21 October 1949

An estimated six hundred troops were quartered in the Brueckenkopf-Kaserne.

About 30 more trucks were parked in the kaserne yard. Five U-2 biplanes were counted at the field but there was no flying.

4. No changes were observed at the quartering buildings of the air force headquarters.

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Comment:

The information on the occupation of the Brueckenkopf Kaserne, the quarters on Thaelmann Strasse and the airfield, indicate that the occupation of WITTEMBERG apparently has not changed in recent months. WITTEMBERG is assumed to still be occupied by the Hq of the I Gds Ftr Corps, the Hq of an ATD and a transport unit of the I Gds Ftr Corps.

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